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service as a commander against the Indians. His descendants have been men of prominence, and as became their descent, have, been active in all of our wars. Mrs. Williams has written an admirable family history which is greatly helped by the number of letters, diaries &c. of the Civil War period to which she has access. Every McDonald above the age of childhood was in the Confederate Army.

**THE MCCUES OF THE OLD DOMINION.** Supplemented by Brief Charts of the Steele, Arbuckle, and Cunningham Families. Compiled by John N. McCue member of the Virginia Historical Society June 1912. Mo. Printing & Pub. Co. Mexico, Mo. pp. 272 with 57 portraits and other illustrations.

Another of our well known Scotch-Irish families is here treated of in a very thorough and comprehensive way Mr. McCue has evidently spared no pains to make his book as complete and accurate as possible.

**WELSH SETTLEMENT OF PENNSYLVANIA.** By Charles H. Browning, Philadelphia, W. J. Campbell, 1912, pp. 631, with 17 maps and illustrations, and index.

Beginning in the year 1682 a considerable emigration of Quakers from Wales to Pennsylvania took place.

This book exploits the chronicles and economic history of these Welsh Friends (and, incidentally, of the Welsh Baptists, and other Welsh American colonists, who removed in Colonial times to Penn's province), and their families, ancestors and descendants; records of their land companies, and of their plantations in the "Welsh Tract;" sketches of their Meetings, monthly and preparative, and of their meeting houses (especially that of the Merion Preparatory Meeting); documentary accounts of the administration of civil affairs in the "Welsh Barony;" the annals of the Welsh townships, Merion, Haverford, Radnor, etc., the substantiated story of the struggles between the Welsh Friends and William Penn, and his representatives; memoirs of many early Welsh Friends, etc., and it is such subjects that indicate the general scope of this work.

**DISCOURSE ON THE LIVES AND CHARACTERS OF THE EARLY PRESIDENTS AND TRUSTEES OF HAMPDEN-SIDNEY COLLEGE.** Delivered at the Centenary of the Founding of the College, on the 14th day of June, 1876. By Hugh Blair Grisby, LL. D. President of the Virginia Historical Society and Chancellor of the College of William and Mary, Richmond. The Hermitage Press, 1913, pp. X, 46, with several portraits.

The mingling of careful historical study with a great amount of information derived from individuals and never before in print, which gave such interest and value to Mr. Grisby's addresses on the Conven-

tions of 1776, 1788 and 1829, characterizes that which is now printed for the first time. Mr. A. J. Morrison has again done good service to Hampden-Sidney and to Virginia in publishing this address. It is prefaced by a life of Hugh Blair Grigsby, and contains portraits of various presidents of the College.

JOURNALS OF THE HOUSE OF BURGESSES OF Virginia 1702-1705, 1705-1706, 1710-1712. Edited by H. R. McIlwaine. [Va. State Library] Richmond, Virginia, MCMXII, pp. XLIIII, 369, with index.

This splendidly printed series of Journals goes steadily on. They have become so familiar to historical students that all that need be said is that the high standard of the preceding volumes has been maintained in this. The prefaces are, as usual, valuable contributions to the history of the period covered by the Journals.